# Ocean Grove P.A.C. News

November 5, 2015



#### Halloween Breakfast "Thanks"

Thank you to Trish Sorensen, Samantha Helm organizing this exciting and

**ENCHANTED** event this year! Also, a big thank you to all the parents that helped

out. A huge thank you in order for our wonderful principal and teachers for putting on the Fashion Show. The kids all seemed to enjoy themselves! And of course, to all the volunteer parents and grandparents who came out and helped with the event, we couldn't have done it without you!

Mark your Calendars!

-Nov. 10<sup>th</sup>-Remembrance Day Assembly

-Nov. 18th Potluck Lunch

-Nov. 19<sup>th</sup>
Parent-Teacher
Interview Day

-Nov. 23rd

P.A.C Meeting 630 pm in the Library

-Dec. 3rd 6:30 PM-Christmas Concert

-December 10<sup>th</sup> 2:05-6pm Winter Carnival

-December 18 last day of school before the Holidays

#### Ocean Grove Potluck Lunch

We will be having a school-wide Potluck Lunch on **Wednesday, November 18 th.**This is always a very popular event with the kids. We ask that you please send your child to school that day with a (preferably healthy) dish to contribute to the lunch. The food can be dropped off at the school kitchen. Some ideas are: little sandwiches or wraps, veggie and fruit platters, crackers and cheese, pasta salad, etc... Also, if you could please send your child with a plastic plate and utensils in a grocery bag, that would be great! If you are interested in helping out at the event, please sign up via the online link on the Facebook page or email from the school.

## Winter

#### Winter Carnival

The P.A.C. has started to plan for our upcoming Winter Carnival which will be taking place on **Thursday, December 10** <sup>th</sup> **from after school-6:00!** This is going to be a festive, fun-filled, family event and we really hope you can come! There will be carnival games, a cake-walk, crafts, a Chinese auction, snacks and drinks, a bake sale, face painting and many more activities to look forward to. Volunteers will be needed to make this event a success! More information to come soon!

**P.A.C.** Fees Thank you to those that have sent in P.A.C. fees of \$7.00/child. If you have not done so already, we ask that you please drop the fee off at the office ASAP. This fee will go towards many activities and items such as supplies for our Winter Carnival, buses for field trips, items off of our teacher's wish lists for their classroom, and much more!

#### **Coats for Kids**

As the weather is getting colder, we are beginning to think about children who might not have a warm coat to bundle up in when they go outside. If you have any extra or old children's coats that you would like to give up for donation, we will have a bin in the school lobby labeled "Coats for Kids" that you can drop them off in.

**Next P.A.C.** Meeting Our next P.A.C. meeting will take place on **November 23** <sup>th</sup> **at 6:30 PM** in the library. Free babysitting will be provided. The meetings are a great way to network with other Ocean Grove parents and to gain information about the happenings in our school. You are all welcome!

**Secretary: Deanna Collins** 

**Treasurer: Aren Knudsen** 





The P.A.C is excited about our upcoming raffle fundraiser. We believe with everyone participating this could be a big fundraiser. Money raised will go right back into the classrooms and help fund upcoming field trips and school events! Each student will be coming home with a book of 10 tickets to sell in the coming days. Please hand ticket stubs and money back in a sealed envelope with the child's name by Dec 7th. More books available upon request. If you do not wish to participate please return the book ASAP to the office.

Students names will be entered into a draw for some great incentive prizes that we will feature in the display cases near the office. One entry per complete book of 10 sold. Draws will happen at 6pm Dec. 10th at the Winter Carnival

### RAFFLE TICKETS WILL BE \$5 each

1st Prize-5 hr Fishing Charter with B.C. Fishing Charters \$550 value
2nd Prize- Kitchen faucet with install from Ed Rosse Plumbing \$350
3rd Prize- Photo shoot with Evelyn Jane Photography \$150 value
4th Prize -1 month Gym Membership at Club Fitness \$50 value
A HUGE THANK YOU TO THESE LOCAL BUSINESES

FOR DONATING THE PRIZES



#### "Like" us on Facebook

A reminder that another way that the P.A.C. is trying to communicate information to you is through our "Ocean Grove Elementary School PAC Information Only" page. If you "like" us, you will receive regular updates and reminders about school activities and events to your FB account.

We are open to comments and questions! Please contact Trish Sorensen at trishsorensen@hotmail.com or 778-420-1314. We look forward to seeing you all around the school this year!